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CERTIFIED RETURN REQUEST 7099 3400 0016 8896 1805

Dexter Anderson, Attorney Red Dome, Incorporated 730 North 3900 West Fillmore, Utah 84631

Subject: Request for Additional Mine Plan Information, Red Dome Inc., Red Dome, M/027/032, Millard County, Utah

Dear Mr. Anderson:

On June 29, 2004, you sent the Division a letter stating that you felt there was very little left to do to satisfy the concerns raised in our meeting of March 29, 2004, or our Division Directive of February 27, 2004. After the meeting, held at the Division office, our concerns were outlined in a memo sent to you documenting the conversations we had during that meeting. One of the major points discussed was that the plan needed to contain accurate vegetation data, maps, and cross-sections of pits; whereupon the Division can base its regulatory approvals and perform reclamation bond estimates. The Division requested several things during that meeting which you have yet to supply. We reiterate them as follows:

- 1. a detailed vegetation report supporting your request for a variance;
- 2. approvals from the Division of Air Quality;
- 3. basic baseline hydrology information on existing well (depth to groundwater);
- 4. a written commitment and schedule for reclaiming outlying post law areas that will not be included in the bond calculations;



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- 5. adding the locations of berms, fences, and signage on the appropriate map, to warn the public regarding mine hazards;
- 6. maps and cross sections showing those areas that have been mined and those areas to be mined, areas that were mined prior to 1975 and have not been re-affected, surface facilities, berms and fences, high walls, roads, and reclamation treatments; and
- 7. a complete reclamation plan showing what backfilling and grading will be done and how the area will be restored to the premining state or an alternative post-mining land use.

Red Dome must furnish the requested items and submit an updated plan to the Division for review within 30 days or by January 3, 2005. Failure to provide the requested information, may result in the Division taking enforcement action for your failure to have an approved mining and reclamation plan.

Please be aware that the Division Directive dated February 27, 2004, is still in effect.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this letter, please contact me at 801-538-5325.

Sincerely,

Daron R. Haddock Permit Supervisor

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